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POETRY AND FICTION PUBLICATION THE SUBJECT OF LC CONFERENCE

A conference exploring the publication of poetry and fiction will be held in the Library of Congress on Monday and Tuesday, October 20 and 21, under the auspices of the Gertrude Clark Whittall Poetry and Literature Fund, with additional support from a grant provided by the National Endowment for the Arts. Under the general chairmanship of Stanley Kunitz, the Library's Consultant in Poetry for 1974-76, the conference is designed to identify conditions in the publishing industry which are adversely affecting the publication of new and serious literature. The conference will try to find ways to stimulate publication and to reach a larger reading audience.

Four symposia and two evening readings in the Coolidge Auditorium have been scheduled to follow registration of participants and invited guests in the Whittall Pavilion at 9 a.m. on Monday, October 20. The conference will begin at 10:30 a.m. At the first symposium, "Trade Publication," to be chaired by Peter Davison of Atlantic Monthly Press, the panel will include Diane Matthews and Betty Prashker, Doubleday, Frances McCullough, Harper and Row, and James Laughlin, New Directions. The second symposium, Monday at 2:30 p.m., "Publication by University and Small Presses," will have as chairman Paul Zimmer, University of Pittsburgh Press, and panel members Chester Kerr, Yale, Jack Shoemaker, Sand Dollar Press, Willard Lockwood, Wesleyan, and Mark Vinz, Dacotah Territory Press.

The third panel, "Publication in Magazines," Tuesday at 10:30 a.m., under the chairmanship of E. V.

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EMPLOYEE ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW FEATURED 200 ITEMS

More than 200 items entered by 88 Library staff members were displayed in the Fifth Annual LC Employee Arts and Crafts Show which was on view for two weeks beginning September 7 in the central corridors, Ground Floor, Main Building. The show was co-sponsored by the Library of Congress Professional and the Welfare and Recreation Associations.

The exhibit revealed the broad range of creative expression—for fun or profit—among staff members. In addition to paintings, drawings, sculpture, and photographs, the show contained numerous handicrafts, ranging from handwoven hangings to intricate Christmas decorations.

This year's art show was co-chaired by Dorothy Pollet, GR&B, and Eric Lowe, Central Services. A number of other staff members assisted with various phases of organizing and hanging the show. At the opening reception on September 7 in the Whittall Pavilion, two Washington artists, Agnes Ainilian and Rosetta Dymond, discussed ways for aspiring artists to get their work shown. The reception was organized by Mary Jack Wintle, DBPH. Mary Ann Joyce, NUCPP, distributed copies of publications from local artists' groups and organizations.

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PHILIP C. SMITH TO GIVE ILLUSTRATED LECTURE AT LC

The noted English designer-bookbinder Philip C. Smith will present an illustrated lecture, "New Directions in Bookbinding" in the Coolidge Auditorium at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, September 19. The lecture will be delivered under the sponsorship of the Washington Conservation Guild, of which Peter Waters, Restoration Office, Office of the Assistant Director for Preservation, is President. All interested persons are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Smith's work has been shown in numerous international exhibitions of modern fine bindings. He is an Associate of the Royal College of Art, a member of the Society of Industrial Artists and Designers, and an Inaugural Member of Designer Bookbinders. In addition to his creative innovations in bookbinding, Mr. Smith is also an accomplished painter and graphic designer.

LC'S BICENTENNIAL PROGRAM FEATURED ON TV

Marvella Bayh (Mrs. Birch Bayh) recently interviewed the Assistant Librarian about the Library's Bicentennial activities. The program was telecast over WRC, Channel 4, on Sunday, August 24. Various Library publications–such as the facsimile of Paul Revere's engraving of the *Boston Massacre* and the *Two Rebuses from the American Revolution*, the catalog of the exhibit *"To Set A Country Free,"* the *Manuscript Sources for Research on the American Revolution*–were shown and described by Mrs. Kegan. Mrs. Bayh was particularly interested in *Creating Independence, 1763-1789: Background Reading for Young People*, the symposia series supported by the Cafritz Foundation, and the albums of folk music being produced by LC with assistance from the National Endowment for the arts. She emphasized the value of these publications, which are available from the Library or the Government Printing Office, to teachers and students.

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Griffith, *Poetry Now*, will include as panelists Robert Boyers, *Salmagundi*, Larry McMurtry novelist and short story writer, Ramona Weeks, *Inscape*, and David Young, *Field*. The fourth panel, "Survival of the Writer: Support by Organizations and Foundations," Tuesday at 2:30 p.m., will be chaired by Leonard Randolph, Program Director for Literature, National Endowment for the Arts, and will include Kathleen Fraser, San Francisco Poetry Center, Elizabeth Kray, Academy of American Poets, Barbara Ringer, Register of Copyrights, Grace Schulman, Poetry Center, New York, and Galen Williams, Poets and Writers.

Arrangements for the evening readings are incomplete, but several young and experimental writers will read at 8 p.m. each evening.

Inquiries about invitations should be addressed to the Poetry Office, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20540, (202) 426-5394.

The Conference on the Publication of Poetry and Fiction is one of a series of literary programs presented by the Gertrude Clarke Whittall Poetry and Literature Fund. Among other events this fall will be

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Participants in the Library of Congress 1975-76 Intern Program, which got underway on September 8, are (front row, left to right) David Shumaker, Jane Lindley, Melissa D. Trevvett, Barbara Malling, Eunice Ellison, and Patricia Ayers; (middle row, left to right) David Eastridge, Judy McDermott, Richard Korman, Jacquelyn M. Ricketts, Michael K. Walsh, and Mary Shannon; (back row, left to right) Gary Bush, Nancy Mitchell, Ann Hallstein, Frances Ritchings, and Robert Bury. Information on the selection of this year's interns and on the program appeared in the May 2 LC Information Bulletin, *p. 173.*

LABOR-MANAGEMENT UMPIRE TAKES UP DUTIES

Frederick U. Reel, who was named the Umpire for the Library Labor-Management Relations Program early in August, will be available for consultation on a regular basis in Room G-105 of the Main Building as soon as the program becomes operative. His telephone is ext. 6002. In the meantime, Mr. Reel may be reached at his office, 965-4775.

Selected by the Acting Librarian of Congress after consultation with employees and recognized employee organizations from a list of six candidates submitted by the non-Library members of the Ad Hoc Committee on Labor-Management Relations in LC, Mr. Reel will serve for a term of two years after which time he may be re-selected.

The responsibilities and authority of the Umpire were reported in the LC *Information Bulletin* of May 30, p. 219.

Mr. Reel has been associated with the U.S. Department of Labor as an attorney and with the National Labor Relations Board as an attorney and trial examiner. Since his retirement from Government service in January 1972, he has been active as a labor arbitrator.

Mr. Reel

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a reading by Stanley Kunitz, Consultant in Poetry (sponsored by the Library of Congress as one of the activities of the Consultant), on October 6; a talk by Virginia Hamilton in observance of National Children's Book Week, November 17; and a poetry reading by Richard Hugo and Diane Wakoski, November 10. These evening programs in the Coolidge Auditorium are free to the public and will begin at 8 p.m. this season, one half hour later than in past seasons.

Tape recordings of the Library's poetry series are broadcast on several stations in the National Public Radio Network.

STAFF NEWS

AWARD

Earl W. Matlock, Procurement Specialist, Procurement and Supply Division, was awarded a 30-year Federal Service Award pin on September 4 by Division Chief Floyd D. Hedrick.

A native of Lee County, Va., Mr. Matlock began his Government employment with the Library in what was then the Card Division in September 1945. He transferred to the Supply Unit in 1962 and worked there for a short period before assuming his present duties as a Procurement Specialist.

Mr. Matlock resides in Rockville, Md.

PERSONNEL CHANGES

William Nugent Appointed Assistant Director of ISO

William R. Nugent has been appointed Assistant Director (Administrative Department) for Information Systems Development, effective September 15. In this position he will direct the activities of the Information Systems Office which is composed of the Computer Applications Office, the Systems Development and Standards Office, and the Computer Service Center.

Mr. Nugent joined the Library as Assistant Coordinator of Information Systems in August 1973 and has been Acting Coordinator since January of this year. Before coming to the Library he served as Project Director of the Northeast Academic Science Information Center, as Assistant Commissioner of Patents for Search Systems Development, Vice-President and Director of Research and Development, Inforonics, Inc., and as a professional consultant.

He has been associated with automation activities related to libraries, publishing, and text processing for more than 16 years, and before that time with the design and construction of computer equipment.

Mr. Nugent received his B.E.E. degree from the Polytechnic Insitute of Brooklyn in 1954, has done graduate work at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and has published extensively in his field.

Appointments: Cheryl Blaney, clerk-typist, GS-2, Cat Publ, OP 7-500; Robert Bury, trainee librarian, GS-9, Trng, NP; Gary Bush, trainee librarian, GS-9, Trng, NP; David Dye, reading room assistant, GS-2, S&R, OP 5-600; Merrillyn Gibson, librarian, GS-9, DBPH, 7933; Elizabeth Heintz, nurse, GS-9, Health, 1058; Jessie Leach, telephone operator, GS-4, DBPH, 1059; Karen Lorenzo, administrative secretary/assistant, GS-6, Audit, 1010; Barbara Malling, trainee librarian, GS-9, Trng, NP; Patricia Sanders, clerk-typist, GS-2, GR&B, OP 8-600; Janet Schachter, employee development specialist, GS-9, Trng, 7963; Richard Wilson, reading room assistant, GS-2, S&R, OP 6-600.

Temporary Appointments: Mark Lowenthal, analyst, national defense, GS-11, CRS F, 1094; Patricia McBroom, microphotographer (trainee), GT-3, Photodup, OP 5-100; Patrick Smith, reference assistant, GS-4, CRS F, NP; Julia Worthington, library technician, GS-6, Share Cat, 7931.

Resignations: John Bell, FRD; Ralph Chite, DC; Peter Clark, CRS D; William Inglee, CRS C; Rodney Miller, Cat Distri; William Nolte, DBPH; Kenneth Riley, Bldgs; Lenzy Southall, S&R; Gregory Vann, S&R; Jacqueline Williams, S&R.

STAFF ACTIVITIES

Leo A. Orleans, Reference Department, addressed the Non-Governmental Forum on the World Economic Order, held in support of the Seventh Special Session of the United Nations General Assembly.

Mr. Orleans' presentation was entitled "Internal Development Strategies of the People's Republic of China." He is also the author of an article entitled "China's Experience in Population Control," in the current issue of *World Development* (July-August 1975).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CRS Election Results Announced

Results of the August 28 election of officers to the Congressional Research Service Employee Association (CREA) have been announced.

Those elected were: Robert D. Poling, president; Cornell E. Lawrence, vice president; Janice E. Baker, treasurer; and Marsha Cerny, secretary.

Those elected to the 22-person board of governors were: Arnold Bellefontaine, Nancy Davenport, Theodor Galdi, Margaret Goodman, Jane Gravelle, James Hall, Patricia Hennessey, David C. Huckabee, Edward Kyte Jefferies, Sharon A. Kearney, Thomas H. Neale, Gary Pastorius, Frederick R. Reenstjerna, Frances Robbins, Roslyn Roberts, Michael Rondeau, Morton Rosenberg, Paul S. Rundquist, Migdon Segal, David Whiteman, and Staci Whiteside.

In a runoff election September 11, William Holloway also was elected to the board.

Clifton L. Brown and **Barbara A. Watkins** were married on August 30 in Fairfax, Va. Mr. Brown is a Searcher in the Processing Section, Law Library. The couple will reside in Falls Church, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Scala are the parents of a son, James Daniel, born on August 18 at the Columbia Hospital for Women. Mr. Scala is a staff member of the Union Catalog Reference Unit, General Reference and Bibliography Division, and Mrs. Scala is employed at the Naval Research Laboratory.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS PUBLICATIONS

Accessions List: Brazil. ISSN 0095-795X. Vol. 1, No. 3. May 1975. (pp. 79-123). Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Consulate General, APO New York 09676.

Accessions List: India. ISSN 0041-7734. Vol. 14, No. 9. September 1975. (pp. 247-375). Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, New Delhi, India.

Accessions List: Southeast Asia. ISSN 0096-2341. Vol. 1, No. 8. August 1975. (pp. 95-117). Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, New Delhi, India.

Digest of Public General Bills and Resolutions. ISSN 0012-2785. 94th Congress, 1st Session. Cumulative Issue No. 2, Part 1 and Part 2, 1975. (Various pagings.) For sale by the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, for $27.55 for the two-part set or by subscription for $90 a session, domestic, and $112.50, foreign (LC 14.6:94-2/1-2).

LC Period Subdivisions Under Names of Places. Second Edition. 1975. (iv, 111 p.) Greatly expanded to include continents, countries, states, cities, etc., this edition has periods listed under some 18 subdivisions, of which "History" is the only one regularly printed in the *Library of Congress Subject Headings* and its supplements, and is arranged according to the new filing rules used in these publications. It is not a definitive list but contains only those period subdivisions adopted through January 1975 for material added to the classified collections of the Library. For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20541, for $2 a copy.

LC Science Tracer Bullet: Science in China. ISSN 0090-5232. (TB 75-7). June 1975. (12 p.) Compiled by T. R. Liao, this reference aid offers guidance for systematically searching "English-language and translated Chinese sources providing information on current and historical developments in Chinese science and technology." Copies are available free from the Library of Congress Reference Section, Science and Technology Division, Washington, D.C. 20540.

National Union Catalog. ISSN 0028-0348. May 1975. (xxiv, 662 p.) Compiled by the Library of Congress with the cooperation of the Resources Committee of the Resources and Technical Services Division, American Library Association. For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service Division for $1,025 for a year's subscription.

New Serial Titles–Classed Subject Arrangement. ISSN 0028-6699. July 1975. (47 p.) Prepared under the sponsorship of the Joint Committee on the Union List of Serials and published monthly by the Library of Congress. For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service Division for $25 a year.

New Serial Titles: A Union List of Serials Commencing Publication After December 31, 1949. ISSN 0028-6680. August 1975. (iv, 42 p.) Prepared under the sponsorship of the Joint Committee on the Union List of Serials and issued in eight monthly and four quarterly issues and a cumulative annual volume. Supplement to the *Union List of Serials*, 3rd Edition. For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service Division for $170 for a year's subscription.

Microform Publications: In response to numerous requests, the Library's Photoduplication Service has filmed seven reports of the Central Intelligence Agency's Research Aid series on international trade, domestic construction, and industry in the People's

Republic of China. The titles are: People's Republic of China: International Trade Handbook (October 1973); An Index of Construction Activity in China (March 1974); China: Role of Small Plants in Economic Development (May 1974); People's Republic of China: International Trade Handbook (September 1974); People's Republic of China: Foreign Trade in Machinery and Equipment Since 1952 (January 1975); Production of Machinery and Equipment in the People's Republic of China (May 1975); and Prices of Machinery and Equipment in the People's Republic of China (May 1975). These titles are available on one reel of 35mm microfilm for $9 and on unbound electrostatic positive prints for $15, including handling and postage. For shipment to other than North American addresses, an additional 60 cents for the microfilm edition or $4.20 for the electrostatic positive prints is required. Orders and inquiries should be addressed to the Library of Congress, Photoduplication Service, Department C-251, Washington, D.C. 20540.

If there is sufficient interest, the Photoduplication Service will offer on a subscription basis the CIA monthly publication, *Chiefs of State and Cabinet Members of Foreign Governments,* a current who's who of foreign government members arranged alphabetically by country and containing a personal name index in each issue. Because each issue runs to approximately 110 pages, roll microfilm does not provide the best format for monthly distribution. The Photoduplication Service is prepared to offer this title in the following formats at the prices indicated: (1) Annual subscription to 12 issues on diazo microfiche, supplied on a monthly basis—two fiche per month—as soon as monthly issues become available for $42. (2) Annual subscription to 12 issues on silver halide microfilm. All issues for the previous year will be microfilmed in January or February and supplied on one reel of microfilm for $13. (3) Subscription to both (1) and (2) for $55. These prices include handling and postage. For shipment to other than North American addresses, an additional $2.50 per reel or monthly fiche is required. Orders and inquiries should be addressed to Department C-250.

Both the CIA reports and the monthly publication are distributed to subscribers to the Library's Documents Expediting Project (DOCEX) as part of the subscription. DOCEX does not offer individual titles or issues for sale.

Press Releases: No. 75-62 (August 11) Collections and Services of LC Geography and Map Division Spelled Out in Revised Guide; No. 75-63 (August 15) LC Receives Grant to Support Development of Machine-Readable Data Base for Serials in Humanities Field; No. 75-64 (August 26) Three American Composers Awarded Commissions by Serge Koussevitzky Foundation in LC; No. 75-65 (August 27) Anniversary Festival of Chamber Music to Open at LC October 30; No. 75-66 (August 27) LC Given Archives of *Modern Music;* No. 75-67 (September 3) Hans Christian Andersen Exhibit Opens at LC; No. 75-68 (September 4) Paul D. Flannery Appointed Assistant Chief for Materials Development of LC's Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped; No. 75-69 (September 5) Joseph W. Price Appointed Chief of LC Serial Record Division.

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